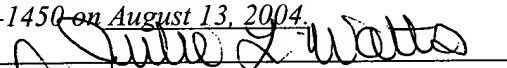


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**COMMUNICATION**

Sir:

A Notice of Allowance dated May 17, 2004 was issued from the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. Applicants submit herewith a corrected Terminal Disclaimer and a Request for Continued Examination in order to allow the examiner sufficient time to consider the corrected Terminal Disclaimer.

The Terminal Disclaimer filed on January 9, 2004 incorrectly listed Crucell Holland B.V. and Becton Dickinson and Company as assignee. Upon review of the file prior to paying the issue fee, the error in the Terminal Disclaimer was detected. Applicants telephoned Examiner Yaen on August 12, 2004 and advised him of the error. The examiner requested the filing of a Request for Continued Examination for the purpose of filing a corrected Terminal Disclaimer for consideration.

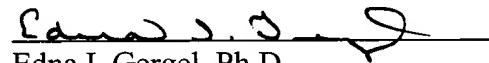
Accordingly, the enclosed corrected Terminal Disclaimer replaces the Terminal Disclaimer filed on January 9, 2004.

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The issue fee was not paid. According to Rule 313(a), a petition to withdraw from issue is not required if a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114 is filed prior to payment of the issue fee.

Applicants believe the application is now in condition for allowance, which action is earnestly requested. If the examiner has any questions regarding this communication, he is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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